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ONE CENT In New York City

# T.R. Is Ready To Offer U.S. 180,000 Men

Needs Only Six Weeks to Send First Detachment Abroad

Private Funds Can Supply Equipment

Junior Brigadier Rank for Roosevelt; No Volunteers Subject to Draft

what Colonel Theodore Roosevelt has War Department, the per

Just as remarkable is the list of sames of the regular army officers who have been tentatively scheduled for service in the command. On this are

storetary of War. Senator William E. Borah, of Idaho, who is anxious to serve in any capacity; John C. Groome, tead of the Pennsylvania constabulary; Professor Hiram Bingham, of Yale; ex-Senator Percy, of Mississippi; Rrepresentative Medill McCormick, of Illiance, P. Grooms nois; Representative Augustus P. Gard-ner, of Massachusetts; James R. Gar-field, son of the martyred President and an ex-Secretary of the Interior; Frederick Walcott, who was H. C. Hoo-rer's aid in Belgium; William J. Schief-felin, head of the big chemical house of Schieffelin & Co., and a fighting parson from Minnesota, the Rev. William A. Dietrick, who is recruiting a regiment among the members of the First Congregational Church of Great Falls. Others who would serve as officers in set a command are John H. Kelly, setter of "The Sloux City (Iowa) Trib-line" and O. W. Dawson, Mayor of Green and O. W. Dawson, Mayor of the," and O. W. Dawson, Mayor of Great Bend, Kan., who are raising regiments; Colonel John M. Parker, Professive candidate for Vice-President, who is recognition. who is recruiting in Louisiana, and William L. Dukelman, of Portland, Me., in charge in the Pine Tree State-

bridge, has raised.

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42 States Offer Commands

Attention of Billy Sunday!

Theologians in 2500 B. C. Be-

Then there is Colonel Jack Dunn, of Beston, ex-regular, who saw service in Cuba and the Philippines, and is now daining a brigade; Brigadier General Gardiner W. Pearson, of Lowell, Mass. similarly engaged; Guy Murchie. Rough Rider, who has raised two machine gun companies; Sloane Simpson, of Texas, she would be a lieutenant colonel; Edmund J. Diehle, of Pittsburgh; E. P. Coffin, banker, of Sewickley, Penn, who has recruited a troop of cavalry among his millionaire neighbors, and Stewart & Janney, of Baltimore, who will arrange for the Maryland contingent. Is Tennessee Major George O. Hoppy, of Memphis, is recruiting a regiment and T. H. Campbell, editor of "The Newport Plain Talk," a company, R. C. Wells and William J. Oliver, the latter a hattonally known contractor, assist-tax Major Hoppy; Colonel Jennings C. Jack Dunn Raising Brigade

isg Major Hoppy; Colonel Jennings C, come,





## Great Harvest Of Potatoes and Corn Promised

### district, is much interested U.S. Chamber of Commerce Benedict Calls for Prayers Also Calls Wheat Outlook Favorable

wheat yield may somewhat, though not refers to a letter which he wrote in

Acreage Breaks Records
by Thomas C. Desmond, from the subway diggers and other construction
men of New York. Thomas R.
Dawley, of "The Providence Journal,
is recruiting cavalry in Rhode Island.
A large part of the men in the
Rossevelt enrollment are from
large universities, who come in as individuals. Two of the smaller collegers
are prepared to send units—Middlebury, Vt., whose most distinguished
alumnus was George Dewey, a company
of infantry, and Lawrence College of
Appleton, Wis., a troop of cavalry. The
Virginia Military Institute, which provided so many officers for the
Corrected army, offers a regiment of
its graduates. Harvard undergraduates
are prominent in the Aero squadron,
which Allan J. Litchfield, of Cam
bridge, has raised.

Acreage Breaks Records

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There is much cheer in the way
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Still, our confidence is not weak
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and the war is envelopin

port concludes, "it seems that the real conscious of their responsibility be- copy of which has been received here. In all the records at the Roosevelt problem of the European importing headquarters, 753 Fifth Avenue, where Captain W. E. Dame is in charge, show that forty-two states have offered to supply complete commands. State lines will not, however, be followed in the make up of regiments or compa-

the make-up of regiments or companies, the Roosevelt idea being to select from the volunteers the best men available restated in the condition able up to the limit required and place of winter wheat is the widespread dam-them where they may be used to the best advantage. best advantage.
Colonel Roosevelt's organization, according to its own figures, has beaten measure practically in every section nobis the total recruiting efforts of the where winter wheat is grown. In numerous states west of the Missouri River severe hurt came by continued [Details of the enrolment by states high winds, which blew the soil away from the roots of the growing plants, thus leaving them exposed to cold and drouth. The result is a most unusual percentage of abandoned acreage, which in Nebraska and Kansas attains the proportion of 50 per cent of all that

## by Constitutional Committee Emperor's Orders

# Savage Blows Armyand Navy On the Aisne

Attacks

Russians Prepare to Subject to Check Foil German Assault

New Laws Would Compel Warning Issued of Danger to Confirmation of His Appointments

London, May 6. Further amendments have been accepted by the Constitution Committee of the Reichstag, now in session in Berlin, according to a Berlin dispatch that has reached here. The committee on Saturday, says the messive People's parties to alter Articles "Article 53. The navy is under the

supreme command of the Emperor. The

### Austria Threatened With General Strike

### Hungarian Workmen Prepared to Force Electoral Reforms

# Keeping Step with The Sunday Tribune

If you didn't see yesterday's Sunday Tribune you missed vitally important signed articles by Isaac Don Levine, Frank H. Simonds, Samuel Hopkins Adams and

detail some of the good things you would have enjoyed and will give you an opportunity to recover your loss.

# Reichstag Asks French Crush Authority Over

Two Amendments Accepted Strengthen 18-Mile Line Near Craonne in Face of

Petrograd and Riga Front

### Day's Developments

French repulse heavy German counter attacks, consolidating new positions along eighteen miles of the Chemin-des-Dames. Seven German cannon taken; prisoners increased to 6,100.

Hindenburg line at Bullecourt against several mass attacks.

Russia prepares to meet German drive on Riga front and attempt to land army to attack

Lacnois, Cerny-en-Lacuois, the Vauclere plateau and around Craonne, the loss of which Berlin does not ye

was vain. The gigantic thrust was en-tirely repulsed." It is admitted, howfar distant when all men's sons of the same Celestial Father will begin again to consider each other as brothers. The suffering of the peoples har become almost insupportable, and is rendered more intense by the general desire for peace. May the Divine Redeemer, with infinite goodness of heart distance in the same celestial Father will begin again to consider each other as brothers. The suffering of the peoples har become almost insupportable, and is rendered more intense by the general decirinary stubbornness," writes Dr. doctrinary stubbornness, with president Wilson, who is an obstitute of the capture of several hundred prisoners above the Aisne is claimed, with 672 constantin Theodor Dumba, former deemer, with infinite goodness of heart

# Russians Warned

merchantmen are at Libau, ready as soon as the ice has melted to embark troops and under cover of the German fleet to carry out a landing, which may possibly be made quite close to Petrograd.

"In order to create a new army capa-

"In order to create a new army capable of stubbornly defending our capital against the assaults of an enemy from abroad and of consolidating the freedom won by Russia, I order the reorganization of the reserve elements of the district in accordance with the orders I have already issued to the first line troops. These reorganized elements must remain in Petrograd, in conformity with the declaration of the Provisional Government, and must be ready to defend civil liberty, and in the event of an enemy movement against Petrograd oppose and defeat the enemy on the outskirts of the capital."

[Additional news of the progress] of the war on Page 4.]

# Navy and Experts Approach Solution Of U-Boat Problem

### Britain to Follow Hoover's Plan in Rationing Nation

Ministry Believes American System in Belgium Will Solve Problem

ple of the United Kingdom will British maintain position on tioning unless the country cuts down volition. The rationing of 45,000,000

### Has Obtained Valuable Hints

The main idea of the British plan is decentralization. The whole United

It will take about two months to instruct those who are being appointed by the Food Controller in their duties as rationers. They would be ready about the middle of July, and by then it is expected that the people of the country will have given evidence as to whether they will comply with the voluntary rationing plan. Harvest conditions and the amount of imports available also will be factors in determining whether the rationing scheme shall be put into operation.

## Alexieff Predicts Renewed Fighting

eral Alexieff appeared to be fairly satisfied with the results of his tour Beard and of the Naval Consulting and predicted fighting on the Russian working hard experimenting with the front in the near future. He said devices which may go a long way front in the near future. He said that the great and only trouble was in Petrograd, and urged the newspapers to take a stronger hand in bringing about order.

devices which may go a long way the devices which may go a long way ably have merit, and others not, but all are being given fair tests. The precise nature of any cannot be disclosed, of course. pers to take a stronger hand in bring-ing about order.

## Russian Committee Asks Petrograd, May 6.—The executive mmittee of the Council of Workmen's

committee of the Council of Workmen's and Soldiers' Delegates has requested the Kronstadt, Tsarskoe-Selo, Krasno-Selo, Peterhof and other garrisons around Petrograd not to send troops into the Petrograd without a written request from the committee. The garrisons are invited to appoint delegates for a conference with the committee regarding the situation.

Satisfactory Progress Has Been Made, Says Lawrence Addicks

Daniels Confident Way Will Be Found

### Misapprehension Created by Saunders's Statement Cleared Up

Washington, May 6 .- Advices from

special naval problems committee of cerning Mr. Saunders' statements yes-

### Good Progress Made

The message follows:

the morning papers regarding the

at this time, as chairman of the com cally with the submarine menace I feel justified in saying that good and satisfactory progress has been made and that we have now under practical trial some novel devices of great

This committee was formed at the time of the break with Germany, to take over all problems relating to the detection and destruction of submarines and the defeat of the torpedo, and has under its direction the various experimental stations devoted to this work. In addition to this, Mr. Edison is separately conducting a line of experiments in his own labora-

ing whether the rationing scheme shall at work for months on various research studies, and, since the declaration of a state of war with Germany, have re doubled their efforts to find a way to cope with the U-boat menace. In many instances naval experts have been called into consultation by the board On Russian Front members or have aided in direct ex-

Every precaution has been taken by General Declares Great and department, however, to prevent nowledge of the nature of the exthe minds of the governments, that, the "Oesterreichische habe begins his article by saying peace."

The Pope ordains, in order that "the prayers of the unfortunate human family may rise more frequently and humbly to Jesus," the Cardinal make known to all the bishops of the world his ardent desire that appeal be had to the Virgin Mary, and that from June 1 there be definitely introduced into the Litany of the Holy Virgin the into the History of the Holy Virgin the into the History of the Holy Virgin the into the History of the Holy Virgin the into the Litany of the Holy Virgin the into the Virgin Mary, and that for each of the Attack Petrograd again warded of an impending German at tack upon it by way of Libau

Battleships Almost Immune

For Power Over Troops
etrograd, May 6.—The executive etrograd, May 6.—The executive detection of submarfnes, and also with parture in some respects from any thing affeat, so far as known; it has been said confidently by high navy

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## "Mother of Peace" Added by Pope to Litany of Virgin

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in Catholic Churches the

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"Still, our confidence is not weakened, and we hope that the day is not still and we hope that the day is not seemed, and we hope that the day is not seemed. The sement to yield.

The discipline among the workmen to yield.

The discipline among the workmen was shown by the strict addierence to the hour for the stoppage of labor fixed by their leaders.

Experts consider it likely that the French will try to turn the Germans cut of Laon by thrusting a strong wedge between Craonne and Brimont. The Berlin report on yesterday's French successes says: "The attempt was vain. The gigantic thrust was en-

the minds of the governments, that, the "Oesterreichische Rundschau," a

other big men who write on big subjects. A bulletin in to-morrow's Tribune will describe in

But you had better play safe for next Sunday by notifying your newsdealer to-day to save you a copy of The Sunday Tribune for May 13, or you may be dis-

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